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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Philadelphia Wool Market.

PHILADELPHIA Aug 24—The wool market continues quiet; no movement in fine fleece; medium in good demand, pulled wool and carpet stock less sought for, Colorado washed at 28@31 cents; Colorado unwashed, 25@26c; extra Merino pulled 40a 4x No. 4 and superior pulled 38@40c; Texas fine and medium 25@30c; Texas coarse 20@22c; California fine and medium 18@30c; California coarse 16@22c.

More Failures.

NEW YORK Aug 24—Late yesterday it was reported that two small failures had occurred on the Stock Exchange; the names given were I H Stevens and J W Brown but the amount lost was not stated.

The creditors of the suspended firm of Lang & Marshall dealers in hardware have elected Uriah C Burnah, of the firm of Harding & Burnah as assignee.

Died of Wounds

Frank McLary beaten with a shovel in a fight on Saturday night, died last night. No arrests.

Going West.

Two batches of Mennonites numbering in all 300 marched through Broad and Wall streets yesterday to the banking office of Greenbaum & Co received cash for their drafts, and in the evening started for new homes in the west.

Fires

NEWARK N J Aug 24—A row of houses at Elomfield belonging to Thomas Clearly, was burned to-day. Loss, $30,000.

Single Scull Race.

SARATOGA Aug. 24—The junior single scull race two miles, was won by James Riley of Neptunes. Time 14 minutes and a half second.

Respect to the Memory of Judge Grover.

NEW YORK, Aug. 24—The courts adjourned to day out of respect to the memory of the late Judge Grover of the court of appeals.

Cotton Mills Resume Work.

LAWRENCE, Mass., Aug. 24—The Atlantic cotton mills which suspended on the 10th of July will resume with a full force on Monday next. The mills give employment to 1,200 hands. Sales of stock have been large, and the prospect is encouraging for the fall business.

Decision on the 5-20s of 1865.

NEW YORK Aug 24—The secretary of the treasury according to a Washington special to Kiernan's news agency of this city, has rendered the following decision in reference to the 5-20s of 1865 (May and November) and 5-20s of 1865 (January and July). The books and records of the department show that 5-20s of 1865 (May and November) known as 65s, were the first of these two loans issued the date of issue being October 31st, 1865 while consols of 1865 (January and July) known as new 65s although the bonds bear on their face the date of July 1st, 1865, were not issued until October 1866 therefore it follows the 5-20s of 1865 (May and November) known as the old 65s being first issued under law, must be first called. The date given on the face of the bond is not to be taken as the date of issue but the fact is established by the record of the department in the application of the law.

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Aug 24—The stock market was lower in early dealings but after the middle became firm and prices advanced ¼ to 2½ per cent in the entire list. The greatest advance was in Panama and Pacific Mail the former rising from 132 to 134¼, the latter from 38⅛ to 39¾. The occasion of this sharp advance was rumors to the effect that both companies had arranged a contract for passengers and freight also that Panama had agreed to renew the Pacific Mail loan. Nothing official has been made public in regard to the matter.

Money and Stocks.

NEW YORK Aug 24—Gold closed at 113¼. Money 1½. Governments steady. Stocks active and better. Pac. Mail 39⅛; Panama, 134; Quicksilver 15¼; W U, 64¼; W F 80; N Y Central 101¼; Erie 15⅜; Union Pacific, 73; bonds, 100⅜. Central Pacific 103¼.

A Correction.

NEW YORK, Aug 24.—Make the Mark Lane quotation of last night read new samples look poor in comparison with last year, instead of look well. [See dispatch in yesterday's paper headed "European wheat crop."—ED.] The cable company made an error in transmission, changing one cipher word to another to make them reconcilable in your connection. (Signed.) SIMONTON

A Force Bill Wanted.

RICHMOND, Va., Aug 24.—In the colored educational convention to-day a constitution was adopted asking the state educational society to aid in the instruction of meritorious youths in the higher branches of study. J W Cromwell one of the speakers, asserted that it was the duty of the state government to enforce the collection of the capitation tax by making the right of suffrage to depend upon its payment. Cromwell was subsequently elected president of the society and resolutions adopted requesting the state board of education to establish a colored normal school.

Investigating Canal Frauds.

ALBANY Aug 24.—The sheriff of Onondaga county yesterday attached the property of Denison Belden & Co which will amount to $605 000 or nearly $200 000 in excess of the amount claimed to have been illegally obtained from the state. The legislative committee continues the investigation into the canal frauds and have obtained considerable additional evidence against these parties to day.

Dispatch from Donaldson, the Aeronaut.

PORT HOPE Mich Aug 24—A bottle was found washed ashore this morning containing the following: "Over Lake Michigan at 8 P M of the evening of starting about 300 feet high a gale coming from the northeast. Balloon getting out of order gas escaping fast, can't remain much longer. Will surely land in the lake. Fearful storm. (Signed) Donaldson." The writing is well preserved.

Natatorial Contest.

PHILADELPHIA Aug 24—The international champion swimming match between Coyle of Chester and Johnson, of England took place this afternoon from the Lazaretto to Gloucester—ten miles. Coyle was taken from the water after swimming about six miles. He was chilled and unable to go much further. Johnson, who took the lead from the start reached the end of the course looking fresh.

Gas Explosion.

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—An explosion caused by escaping gas occurred this evening at the residence of E G Webster 394 Clinton avenue Brooklyn. Mr and Mrs. Webster E G Thrall and Eliza Wilson servant were all badly burned, and the house was damaged by fire $2,000. All the windows were broken and the walls badly bulged by the concussion.

Shipping News.

NEW YORK, Aug 24.—Arrived—Steamship *Scythia* from Liverpool.

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—Arrived—Steamers *Rotterdam* Rotterdam; *Ville de Paris* Havre.

LONDON Aug 24—Steamship *Alexandria*, from New York arrived out.

SOUTHAMPTON Aug 24.—Arrived—Steamer *Oder* from New York.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Commission Enlarged.

CHICAGO Aug 24—A Washington special says there is to be a new deal in the Chicago custom house muddle. So much influence has been brought to bear upon the president and Secretary Bristow that they have recently decided upon the appointment of another commission large enough to contain the architects, the engineers and builders of the country to secure a final report in this matter which must end the controversy upon the subject. The commission is made up of so many lights of their respective professions that it is already known as the high joint commission. It consists of seven members all of whom have signified their willingness to serve. They arrived in the city this evening with Secretary Bristow. The following is a list of the high joint engineers: Gen Wm B Franklin Hartford Conn; Gen J H Wilson N Y. Architects—John McArthur Phila; Henry Bradley Boston. Builders—N J Dobbins, Phila and Andrew Kennedy St Louis. It will be seen that the east has the preponderance of members. This shows a lack of any possible prejudice. John McArthur of Philadelphia is the architect of the new city hall there, which will be as large as the national capitol building. Dobbins is the builder of the centennial building. All are men of high character and their united opinion will constitute a decision from which no appeal can be expected.

Commissioners in Consultation.

WASHINGTON Aug 24.—Members of the newly appointed Chicago custom house commission were in consultation with the secretary of the treasury to-day. Instructions are being prepared for their guidance which will probably be completed and delivered to the commissioners this evening or to-morrow.

Instructions to the Chicago Custom House Commissioners.

WASHINGTON Aug. 24—The secretary of the treasury to-day addressed a letter of instructions to the commissioners just appointed by him to examine the Chicago custom house building in which he recognizes the need of the early completion of this important public work not only to the government, but for the prosperity and business interests of Chicago and at the same time recognizes the responsibility resting upon the department and the paramount duty of preventing the sacrifice of a large sum of public money upon a work which may not possibly be safely completed. The appropriation for the building was $5,000,000. For these reasons he has determined to confide to the commissioners the view of former reports as a base of action. For information of Congress and that their investigation may be full and accurate, their attention is invited to the following points namely—first to the nature and condition of the foundation of the building this being of first and paramount importance and that by all such tests and appliances in masonry and engineering as may be advisable and necessary they will ascertain whether the soil is of proper level and firm ground and of adequate strength in all respects to support the building proposed to be erected on it and if not how and in what way and at what probable cost the defects in the foundation may be relieved. Second to obtain qualities of stone out of which the edifice is being constructed whether it has durability and strength and whether it is desirable for such a structure. Third indications shown of the sufficiency or otherwise of stone and other materials in so much of the structure as is then finished. Fourth whether any change in plans or material to be used in construction of the building should be made, and if so what? and an estimate of the probable cost of such change adding such suggestions as will give practical effect to the conclusions they may reach in that connection. In the whole matter thus confided to them entertaining confidence in their intelligence impartiality and qualification to discharge their duties the secretary hopes they will as a commission effect an organization and proceed at once to Chicago and patiently and thoroughly investigate matters confided to them informing themselves by all such means as they may deem proper to adopt, as well as by their own personal examination.

First Assistant Postmaster General

The appointment of the first assistant postmaster general will be made from New England.

At Work Again

Attorney General Pierrepont resumed his official duties to day.

The Whisky Ring Resorting to Murder.

CHICAGO Aug 24—The leading Washington special says the treasury department has most conclusive evidence to show that the whisky ring has decided to resort to murder if necessary, to protect its members. The circumstances which points directly to this conclusion is the attempted assassination of J C Miller in Chicago last Friday night. Miller was formerly U S ganger was discharged last May for violating the rules and regulations of the internal revenue bureau. His offence was of a technical and not of a criminal character. He subsequently voluntarily gave the government very valuable information implicating in the whisky frauds persons who stood high in social and civil positions in Chicago whose names have never yet been mentioned in this connection. This disclosure astonished the treasury officials the officers of internal revenue and secret service which had previously had the most knowledge of the inside workings of the ring and through whose efforts in a great measure the plans for the secret detectives had been made. The ring fully understood matters and the means of their operation being made known. They learned that he had in some way communicated this information to the government. Knowing that his evidence could only be given orally in a criminal case and could not be perpetuated by depositions the ring seem to have determined to prevent Miller from ever reaching the witness stand. The information in the possession of the treasury department indicates that the ring sought to accomplish its purpose by the hands of an assassin. Last Friday night while Miller was quietly looking about Chicago for additional evidence against the ring he was shot by an assassin. The ball intended for his heart however lodged in his left arm. Although badly wounded he will recover. He was taken care of by friends and is now understood to be in a place where hired murderers cannot reach him. It is the intention of the government to protect him from further assault and to place him on the stand at the proper time that he may tell the whole truth regarding the monstrous swindling operations of the ring of which he has personal knowledge. What he knows will assist the government materially in securing convictions. His relations are considered of so much importance that he will be constantly attended until the trial by government officers who will shield him from harm. Although the assassin was within a few feet of Miller when he fired his face was not fully exposed and as Miller was able to give only a very unsatisfactory description of him it is doubtful if his identity can be established. The treasury has through the assistance of Miller and others obtained a mass of evidence against persons in Chicago which is startling. There can be no doubt of the credibility of the evidence or of the identity of the prominent persons whose names are involved. These names the treasury will withhold until the trial of the cases at the October term of court. Their publication at any time would create a profound sensation. Miller is the person who was the means of discovering the 400 barrels of illicit high wines in Chicago which had been concealed. Since the seizure the secret service is closely watched in Chicago, St. Louis and Milwaukee, the leading centers of the whisky ring.

Blank Money Orders Stolen.

WASHINGTON Aug 24—About 100 000 money order blanks, worth $5.0 per 1 000 have been stolen from the postoffice building.

Exports and Imports

The bureau of statistics reports the total imports of the country exclusive of specie for July at $41 256 391 against $47 102 4 6 during the same month in 1874. The imports for the seven months this year were $316 104,7.3 against $351 136 .03 for the same time last year. Exports for July this year $41 480 1.7 against $40 9 6 188 in July 1874. For the seven months of this year the exports were $322 838 872 against $3 0 943 .60 in 1874, all currency values.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

NEW YORK Aug 24—A London dispatch states that at the opening of business this morning there were no special features. Prices in most instances remain stationary but the changes which have occurred are as a rule in favor of holder. U S 5-20s have now advanced 1 per cent. There are no changes in American governments to report.

The Porte Thanks Austria and Germany.

A dispatch from London says the Porte has written Austria and Germany thanking them for their offices in Herzegovinian affairs.

Naval Dignitaries Insulted.

LONDON Aug 24—The American war steamers *Congress* and *Hartford* arrived at Tripoli Saturday last. A number of officers who landed from the *Congress* were hooted by the rabble. Satisfaction was given for insults to the officers who landed but not for the previous insult to the American consul. Both vessels remained at Tripoli.

Affairs in Asiatic Russia.

Russian General Kauffman has replied to Khokand rebels agreeing to acknowledge the new Khand conditionally if indemnified for losses by the insurrection and the treaties between the Russian government and the late Khan will be accepted and observed by the new one.

Ship Damaged

The *Ole Bull* for Portland Oregon put into Montevideo yesterday with rigging damaged.

Attack on an English Party by Savages.

LONDON Aug 24—The colonial office has received the following details of the attack on Commodore Goodenough which led to his death. The commodore and party on 12th instant landed in Carlisle bay to open intercourse with the natives of Santa Cruz Island who attacked the *Sand Fly* in the same place last year. After remaining about an hour ashore having made apparently satisfactory progress in the object of their mission they were preparing to return to the ship when suddenly the natives who were only a few yards off shot at Commodore Goodenough and a poisoned arrow penetrated his left side. The boat then put off under a flight of arrows. Seven men were wounded, including Lieutenant Hawker. Two of the wounded have since died from the effects of the poison. The others are improving. As soon as the boat returned the *Pearl* shelled and burned the natives village and then returned to Nelson's bay.

Animal Epidemic.

LONDON Aug 24—The foot and mouth disease has broken out with great violence at Dorsetshire where twelve thousand animals are down with it. The distemper is spreading rapidly.

Spanish Flag of Truce

MADRID Aug 24—The garrison of the citadel of Leo de Urgel have hoisted a flag of truce and hostilities have been suspended. Gen Lizzaraga the Carlist commander offers to surrender on conditions which Gen Martinez rejects. The negotiations continue.

Naval Banquet.

SOUTHAMPTON Aug. 24—The banquet tendered the officers of the American squadron in the harbor by the corporation of Southampton was given to night. Thirty American officers were present. Among the guests were the American consul and members of the house of commons for Stafford, Right Honorable Cowper Temple member for Southamptonshire, Commodore (Commerel) and also quite a large number of local notabilities. The mayor of Southampton proposed the health of Admiral Worden and other American guests and warmly eulogized the gallantry of the American navy and said he felt the most sincere pleasure in welcoming the guests to the city. He referred to the distinguished services of Admiral Worden during the American civil war. Wished American prosperity in the future, and hoped she and England would continue hand in hand, as examples of peace and unity. Admiral Worden briefly thanked the mayor for the kind expressions about himself and country which the admiral said were fully reciprocated by his countrymen.

Royal Banns

PARIS Aug. 24—*L'Estafette* announces the intended marriage of King Alfonso of Spain to the oldest daughter of Duke De Montpensier.

How will do it?

LONDON Aug 24—A special dispatch to the *Standard* from Vienna says the eldest son of the Sultan of Turkey is going to Crete with the squadron to prevent a threatened insurrection.

CANADA

Death of a Bishop.

TORONTO Aug 24—Wiles Hazard, bishop of the British Methodist Episcopal Church died at Shelburne N S Sunday.

Canadian Crops

OTTAWA, Aug 24—Reports from the Ottawa valley state that the crops in that section were not materially injured by the late rain. In many places an improvement is noted.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

The Scurvy Inquiry Case

SAN FRANCISCO Aug 24—The court of inquiry in the case of the ship *Escort* convened to day. The time was taken up in hearing the statement of Captain Leslie commander of the ship who reiterated what has previously been published—that the ship had plenty of fresh provisions, which were regularly served.

Whisky Frauds in San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO Aug 24. There were a number of rumors in town to day relative to alleged discoveries made by a government agent of swindling by distillers and revenue agents in this city. As far as known, it appears that Clark collector of internal revenue at Savannah has been sent here to look after matters got on the track of frauds and it is said that Mullen storekeeper at the celebrated Antioch distillery has been suspended and a discrepancy in accounts of other distilleries discovered.

San Francisco Stock Market

SAN FRANCISCO Aug 24—Ophir 57¾, Mexican 20¼, Gould & Curry 19¾, B & B 51½, Savage 10¼, Chollar 58, H & N 43, Ticket 82½, Point 31¼, Imperial 10¼, I Mill 6¼, Kentuck 15¾, Alpha 22½, Belcher 24¾, Confidence 24, Con Va 302, S Nev 16, California 64¾, Bullion 43, Seg Belcher 81, Justice 34¼, Overman 57½, Succor 1, Union 82, Lady Bryan 1½, Julia 22½, Caledonia 23¾, Globe 60c, Baltimore 4¼, Dayton 5¾, Rock Island 3½, Dardanelles 4, New York Con 1, Occidental 4½, Woodville 2, Utah 12½, S Hill 9¼, Challenge 8, Senator 1¼, Tyler 60c, Alta 3.

EVENING BOARD—M Valley 5? R C Fly 3½, Eu Con 29¾, Jackson 1½, Phenix 1½, Washington C 25c, Alps 50c, Am Flag 2, Belmont 3¾, K K Con 4, Leopard 1¼, Jefferson 1½, Gila 4¼, Hussey 2, Mansfield 75c, Cr Chariot 1, S Chariot 50c, Imp Idaho 75c, Poorman 2¼, Ill Central 1¼, S Mountain 87½, Mint 60c, Lady Washington 2, Kossuth 2, O G Hill 1½, Baltic 1, Andes 3¼, Pacific 1½, W Fargo 1¼c, Mides 1½, Florida 3, Nor Carson 60c, Niagara 60, Cosmopolitan 30c, Leviathan 87c, Prospect 5½, Maryland 75c, Cromer 3, Morning Star 3¼, B & B 51¼, California 62¼, Con Va 301, Ophir 59, H & N 43, Savage 10¼, Utah 12¼, Mexican 23.

Greenbacks 88 buying, 88½ selling.

O'CONNELL'S ELOQUENCE

[From Wendell Phillips Lecture.]

I do not think I should exaggerate if I said that God since he made Demosthenes never made a man so fit for the great work as he did O'Connell. You may think I am partial to my hero very naturally. But John Randolph of Roanoke who hated an Irishman almost as much as he did a Yankee—when he got to London, and heard O'Connell the old slaveholder held up his hands and said "This is the man—those are the lips the most eloquent that speak English in my day." And I think he was right. Webster could address a bench of judges. Everett could charm a college. Choate could delude a jury. Clay could magnetize a senate, Tom Corwin could hold the mob in his right hand but no one of them could do more than that one thing. The wonder of O'Connell was that he could outtalk Corwin. He could charm a college better than Everett, delude a jury better than Choate, and leave Clay himself behind in magnetizing a senate. I have heard all the grand and magnetic orators of America who are singularly famed on the world's circumference. I know what was the majesty of Webster. I know what it was to melt under the magnetism of Henry Clay. I have seen the eloquence in the iron logic of Calhoun but all three together never surpassed and no one of them ever equaled, the great Irishman. In the first place he had—what is half the power with a popular orator—a majestic presence. God put that royal soul into a body as royal. He had in early youth the brow of Jove or Jupiter and the stature of Apollo. A little O'Connell would have been no O'Connell at all. Sydney Smith said of Lord John Russell's five feet, when he went down to Yorkshire after the reform bill had been carried the stalwart hunters of Yorkshire said "That little shrimp! What he carry the reform bill?" "No no" said Sidney "no he was a large man but the labors of the bill shrunk him." [Renewed laughter.] Do you remember the story of Webster that Russell Lowell tells when we in Massachusetts were about to break up the whig party? Webster came home to Fanueil hall to protest and 4 000 whigs went to meet him. He lifted up that majestic presence before the sea of human faces his brow charged with thunder and he said "I am a whig—a Massachusetts whig—a revolutionary whig—a constitutional whig—a Faneuil hall whig. And if you break up the whig party where am I to go?" And Russell Lowell says "We held breath thinking where he could go." "But if he had been five feet five," said Lowell "we would have said 'Well hang it who cares where you go?'" Well O'Connell had all that. Then he had besides what Webster never had and what Clay had the magnetism and grace that melts a million souls into his. When I saw him he was 66—lithe as a boy his every attitude was beauty; every gesture was grace. Macready or Booth never equaled him. Why it would have been delightful even to look at him if he had not spoken at all and all you thought of was a grey hound. Then he had—what so few American speakers have—a voice that sounded the gamut. I heard him once in Exeter hall say "Americans, I send my voice careering like the thunder storm, across the Atlantic to tell South Carolina that God's thunderbolts are hot and to remind the negro that the dawn of their redemption is breaking." And I seemed to hear the answer come re-echoing back to London from the Rocky mountains. And then, with the slightest possible flavor of an Irish brogue he would tell a story that would make all Exeter hall laugh. And the next moment tears were in his voice, like an old song and five thousand men would be in tears. And he never made an effort. You would go out of this hall after hearing Mr Sumner or any orator and you would say "What a magnificent effort!" Well, no man would use the word effort with O'Connell. I heard him 20 times and I never saw him more than three times at the full sweep of his power. You would get provoked that he did not and you would say "Oh what a magnificent creature he would be, if he would only but try!" But he would not try.

CONGRESSIONAL SERVICE

The next congress has more than the usual number of new men. There are only four men who have served in seven congresses or twelve years. In the former category we count Gen Banks who resigned from the thirty fifth congress after one month's service. Here is the list:

FOURTEEN YEARS	TWELVE YEARS
S S Cox	Fernando Wood
W S Holman	S J Randall
W D Kelley	J A Garfield
N P Banks	J G Blaine

Cox Kelley and Holman served during the war. Cox entered one congress before Holman and two congresses before Kelley. Wood Garfield and Randall entered in the last session of the war the thirty eighth congress although Wood had been a member in 1841 of the twenty seventh congress. Only one member antedates him Mr William Pitt Lynde of Wisconsin who entered congress in 1840. Gen Banks entered in 1852. Mr Kerr of Indiana entered the next congress after the war (the thirty ninth) and served eight years. Mr Kelley is the longest in continuous service therefore is the father of the house. Cox and Holman had a break in their service of fourteen years and therefore Kelley outranks them.

A jeweler by the name of Ballin at present residing in Salt Lake repaired several of the watches taken from the massacred emigrants at Mountain Meadows. Two of the watches were badly injured by bullets.

For the first time since Thomas Jefferson's administration, there is no surviving ex-President of the United States.

A MONSTER CLAIM.

SIX MILLION ACRES OF LAND IN WESTERN MISSOURI CLAIMED BY THE HEIRS OF A SPANISH OFFICER IN LOUISIANA

[From the St Louis Globe-Democrat.]

An interesting suit against the United States has been begun in the United States court, in the western district of Missouri, by the heirs of Don Josef Vallière captain of a Spanish regiment stationed at the post of Arkansas in 1793. The suit is for six million acres of land in Arkansas and Missouri worth $15,000 000 and the complaint has been recently served on the United States district attorney in St Louis by Counselor William H. Duryea of Brooklyn the solicitor for the plaintiffs. In 1682 LaSalle descended the Mississippi river as one of the earliest explorers and claimed all the country drained by the rivers that swelled the Father of Waters in behalf of his native country France. The right of discovery when reduced to possession was recognized by the law of nations as a right of ownership and by the settling of the French in the newly discovered country in 1699 all of the country extending along the Mississippi as far as the British possessions became French which was called Louisiana. In 1752 the French ceded to Spain all of the territory west of the Mississippi river, including the island of New Orleans and retained the provinces of east and west Florida which embraced all of the land east of the river; but in 1761 Spain obtained possession of this tract and all of a vast country was governed by a viceroy or governor general who was vested by the King of Spain with the power of making concessions of the royal lands to his subjects to promote agriculture and also as a reward for meritorious services rendered by the officers of the King's army. In 1793 Baron de Carondelet, who was governor general received a petition from Captain Don Joseph Vallière a captain of one of the stationery regiments in the province asking for a tract of land along the White river in the district of Arkansas. As was the custom with the Spanish governors in the cession of lands to subjects an order of survey was sent to Don Carlos Trudeau the royal and private surveyor of the province to survey the lands of the grantee. This original order dated June 11 1793 has been found in one of the musty old ... in the New Orleans land office under the title of Register de los Primeros Decretos de concession de tierra. The order is as follows:

Al Capitan Don Joseph Vallière en el distrito de Arkansas una porcion de tierra situada sobre el Rio Blanco y extendiendo desde los Rio Norte Grande y Cibelos hasta el origen de dicho Rio Blanco diez legues en profundidad.

BARON DE CARONDELET

Under this order Charles Trudeau, the surveyor general surveyed a tract of land, beginning at the junction of the White river with the great North Fork in the upper part of Arkansas and extending ten Spanish leagues or about forty miles up each bank of the White river winding up through the southern part of Missouri and then extending to the west and southwest ending at the source of the extremely westerly branch of the White river in the western part of Arkansas. The tract is made up of 6 000 000 of acres and on the map of to-day takes in Ozark Douglas Stone Barry Christian and Taney counties in Missouri and about a dozen counties in Arkansas making a tract 80 miles wide and 120 miles long. The report of Trudeau was filed in October 1793 in the surveyor general's office in New Orleans, accompanied by a map representing the tract from the junction of the Rio Norte Grande and the Rio Cibelos extending westward along the Rio Tosque. Don Joseph Vallière received the grant of six million of acres and six years later in 1799 he died intestate, possessing the largest lot of real estate ever owned by a royal subject. His heirs whoever they were at that time, if they knew anything of his vast wealth did not attempt to make the land theirs. In four years after Vallière's death the land was receded back to France and France in December of the same year 1803 ceded all of the province of Louisiana to the United States for and in consideration of $15 000 000. The Intendant of Louisiana under the order of the captain general of Cuba who after the cession of the lands to France had control of the provinces sent the records to Havana and they were stored among the royal archives. Nearly forty years after the death of Don Joseph Vallière a gentleman who was able to read Spanish while searching the records in the land office and surveyor general's office in New Orleans for another grant found the entry of land in Don Joseph Vallière's name. At that time the United States gave the land warrant at $1 25 an acre, and at this estimate the heirs of the Spanish captain were worth $8 500 000. He knew descendants of Vallière and told them of their vast possession. In 1841 Achilles Godin, James Brooks, Matilda Brooks, James Scull, Manette Scull, John Dodge, Elizabeth Dodge, Francis W. Vaugine, Harriet Vaugine, Francis Vallière, and Julie Vallière, at that time the only surviving heirs of Don Joseph Vallière gave a deed to John Wilson of Missouri, for an undivided half of the land. Wilson is said to be in California and his grantees are joined with the Vallière heirs in prosecuting the claims. The claimants are residents of Arkansas and are nearly all of them poor persons and most of them are absolutely ignorant of their ancestry. Mr Duryea, in taking hold of their claims, found both the original order and the report of the survey but was not able to find the final grant. On this depended the whole value of the claim, which under the appraisal of the unentered lands of the government—namely $2 50 an acre—amounted to $15 000 000. All the old parchments and records in the New Orleans land office were searched but in vain. At length it was traced to the royal archives in Havana and the Spanish authorities furnished Duryea with an authenticated copy of the original and final grant of the land to Capt Vallière. After describing the tract of land as reported in Trudeau's survey the grant concludes:

In consequence of the power which has been conferred on me by our Lord in the King (God preserve) I grant in his royal name to the said Don Joseph Vallière Captain of the Regiment of Infantry of Louisiana the said portion described above in order that he may dispose of it he and his legitimate successors as property belonging to him.

EL BARON DE CARONDELET

Done in New Orleans Dec ... 1796

The original grant was written in the governor's book as was the custom the grantee holding a copy as his deed. One third of the contested lands have been owned by private citizens for several years under the grant from the United States. Four millions of acres are still unentered. The inhabited part is filled with towns intersected by railroads built up in villages and laid out in farms. If the heirs were wealthy enough they might begin proceedings to dispossess the inhabitants of six counties in Missouri and other counties in Arkansas but the proceedings have been begun to recover land warrants or patents by which the claimants may enter the same amount of land anywhere else in the public domain. Under an act passed in 1860 claimants to land grants, if successful have a right to choose the same amount of land as they claim from other spots or take land warrants on which they may speculate the same as on bonds. There are about forty claimants who have thus far recorded and others are expected. The claim is looked upon as perfectly valid the lawyers for the plaintiffs will hold that by the provisions of the great treaty in the cession of the province from France to the United States in 1803 the grant of Captain Don Joseph Vallière was fully protected and secured to him as well as by the laws of nations. The case will be tried in Jefferson City Mo in September.

A vocalist who requires a great deal of prompting left to himself improvised his song, thus and no one was the wiser. It is his usual method on a pinch:

Oh! If I had a lumty tum lumty tum too
In the land of the olive and fig,
I would sing of the lumty tum lumty to you
And play on the thingumy jig.

And if in the lumty tum battle I fall
A lumpy tum's all that I crave,
Oh bury me deep in what you may call
And plant thingumbobs over my grave.

OREGON

The harvesting and haying season in Umatilla county is about closed for this season.

The third annual fair of the Union Agricultural Society commences October 11th, continuing over six days.

The snag puller is at work between Salem and Eola. The river from Corvallis down to the point where the boat is at work has been well cleared of obstructions.

The new wharf of the Salem Storing and Shipping Company is approaching completion. It is 190 feet long by 46 feet wide. A storehouse 100 feet long by 40 feet wide is to be constructed on the wharf.

Articles of incorporation were filed Monday in the secretary of state's office incorporating the Astoria Milling Company. The object of the association is to build mills etc at Astoria. The capital stock is $100 000 in shares of $100 and the incorporators are D Bequette John W Earhart and D K Warren.

The *Mountain Sentinel* in describing a visit to the Virtue mine says that it is kept running day and night and the rock continues to grow richer as the work of sinking the main shaft goes on. This mine furnishes constant employment to about 80 men and as soon as the new machinery is placed in motion a large increase in the present force of hands will be required. The mine is running out very rich rock and a very large percentage of the amount taken out each month finds its way into the various hoppers of commerce in Baker and adds very materially to the business interests of that thriving little city. Mr Hyde, the amiable and accommodating superintendent takes great pleasure in showing persons through the mine who visit it with a desire to inspect its important relation to the commercial interests of Baker county. A large amount of new machinery is now in transit, some having already arrived which will be in complete running order in probably two months. It is Mr Hyde's intention to sink a main perpendicular shaft to the depth of one thousand feet and put on new hoisting works. This herculean enterprise will be rapidly accomplished by the aid of compressed air, with which the Burleigh drills will be operated. The Virtue mine may justly be reckoned as the chief enterprise east of the Cascade mountains and if new and improved machinery is constantly added and a greater number of hands employed each succeeding year, is the work of development and expansion continues it is hard to estimate the magnitude that will be reached during the next ten years.

THE TERRITORIES

The rolling stock for six additional cars arrived at Wallula a few days ago.

The *Spirit of the West* is advocating the cultivation of flax in the Walla Walla valley.

A house belonging to Richard Eddy, on Dry creek, W T, was burned last week, loss, $1 500.

Of late the stages between Walla Walla and the railroad have been hauling full cargoes of passengers both ways.

A band of 2 300 sheep pasturing on the Touchet, were sold recently for the Montana market at $2 50 a head.

Hon Thos Donaldson centennial commissioner for Idaho is working hard to the end that that territory may present a good showing at the big celebration.

The Walla Walla *Statesman* understands that the O S N Company have made arrangements whereby they expect to be able to take away from the landing at the rate of 1 200 tons of grain a week. This rate, if kept up, will enable our farmers to market a very considerable part of their grain crop before the close of the season. The entire surplus of wheat in the valley will not greatly exceed 600 000 bushels, and carrying at the rate of 40 000 bushels each week the whole crop can be shipped before the boats tie up for the winter.

A party of editorial excursionists, from New York and New England with now and then one from this side the Alleghanies, came into Denver from the west last week. They left New York July 1st, and crossed the continent to the Pacific taking in the noted resorts of California besides all the wonders along the overland route and have commenced their inspection of Colorado sights. Henry T Williams of the New York *Independent* is the general manager and among the excursionists are Harry Sedgwick of the New York *Times*, and J R Dodge, editor of the U S agricultural reports. Only a portion of the excursion proper came to Denver.

The Walla Walla *Union* says: "Harvesting is now nearly ended so far as the cutting and stacking of grain is concerned. There are only a few fields still standing and those are generally situated well up on the foot hills where the grain matures later. Some of the reapers and headers have already been housed, and by the end of another week there will probably be scarcely one machine cutting grain in this portion of the valley, although in the upper portion of the county they are now in the midst of the harvest the grain being a few days later than here. Thus far the weather has been pretty hot for harvesting, but otherwise has been most favorable, as we have had scarcely a drop of rain, and no grain has been damaged in this way."

The *Statesman* learns that iron sufficient to complete the Walla Walla railroad as far as Mill creek has been shipped and is now on the way from San Francisco. This we presume is as near as the road will approach the town this year. There has been a general understanding that the road will be completed its entire length before the close of the season, but various causes have operated to retard the work. The iron was to have been furnished by the San Francisco manufacturer by the 1st of last June but the machinery of the rolling mill broke down and this involved several months' delay. Instead of getting the iron in June it was late in July before the first lot was delivered and it is now uncertain when the balance will come to hand. The part of the road already completed will aid very materially in freighting off this year's crop, and by another year most likely we will have through railroad communication.

THE COCHISE TREATY

A correspondent of the San Francisco *Chronicle* writing from the settlement of Tres Alamos, Arizona has the following to say concerning a portion of Gen Howard's work in settling the Indian troubles in that Territory showing that the result has been most satisfactory. The correspondent says:

Like all other parts of Arizona this rich and splendid valley has suffered all the horrors of Indian massacre robbery and murder. No less than four attempts were made to form a permanent settlement at Tres Alamos and each time the settlers were all either killed or driven off by the savages. During my ride in the valley seventeen graves were pointed out to me of the victims of the savage Apaches. The settlement since the peace made with Cochise by General Howard has been a success and though it is near the center of former raids and but one day's ride from the Chiricahua reservation not a person has been disturbed and not an animal stolen since the Howard treaty. This of itself proves positively that those Indians so long the terror of the whole Territory are living up to their treaty most faithfully and I have perfect confidence that they will do so so long as the treaty on our part is carried out in like good faith. A little over two years since no man in the valley dare go a step from his door without gun and pistol; now no one pretends to carry arms of any kind. By a careful estimate the settlement will produce for sale the present year 2,000 000 pounds of corn wheat and barley and many thousands of bushels of potatoes and other vegetables. The total population of the settlement is now about 100 men 47 women and 56 children. A school house has been purchased and soon a public school will be opened and another step made towards the progress and development of the country.

YAMHILL COUNTY LETTER.

McMINNVILLE, Aug 13 1875

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

THE HARVEST

Is earlier than usual in this section of the country. The fall grain did not come in any earlier than common, but the spring sown followed it more closely. In a week or ten days our harvest will be pretty well along where farmers do not have to wait for machinery. In the past our harvests have been prolonged for want of sufficient machinery to gather the grain at the proper time. This year there are more headers and threshers, and consequently the bulk of the grain will be in a week or two sooner.

A HEAVY SHOWER

Of rain passed over the vicinity of McMinnville about 1 o'clock Sunday morning. It sprinkled some in the early part of the night but not enough to injure anything more than to start the farmers and all of their families out into the fields with pitchforks to cover up the wheat sacks which are stacked up by the thousand all over the county. This shower passed away and the stars came out again but the scared grangers had scarcely returned to their bunks till the water was pouring down again in perfect torrents. It was equal to the thunder storms of the Eastern states. Men say they never saw so much water fall in so short a time in Oregon. It has cleared nicely, however and this (Monday) morning everything is bustle and hurry again. The rain did no damage, but will be a benefit to all who cut their grain with the headers. It will ripen faster and thresh easier.

THE WHEAT FIELDS OF YAMHILL

Have yielded well. The quality is good notwithstanding some say it is not so plump as formerly. Marketing has not fairly commenced although times are getting pretty brisk around our several shipping points. The price paid has been one dollar, only going above that at St. Jo where the spirit of opposition has had hold of the dealers.

A MONUMENT OF ENTERPRISE

In the shape of a commodious warehouse and elevator with cleaning apparatus all complete may be seen at North Yamhill. This building is 80x40 feet beside the elevator and cleaning attachment, and was built by the grangers of the vicinity. It is two stories high. The lower floor is used for storing in sacks and the upper floor for storing in bulk. It has been the custom at this place to charge five cents per bushel for wheat passed through here; now it is stored for one and a half cents. Some of them say that before they built this house they would not get within less than ten cents of the St Jo price for their wheat, now they get the same. Ten cents on the bushel for all the wheat shipped from this point would build a warehouse every year. Go all grangers and do likewise.

FEARFUL ACCIDENT

On Saturday evening as Mr Oscar Herring was engaged in hauling wheat from Mr G W Burnett's farm, two miles north of McMinnville he received a very serious if not a fatal injury. He was descending a steep hill with a four-mule team and eighty bushels of wheat on a heavy wagon, when the rope fastened to the break-lever suddenly came loose. This caused the saddle mule which he was riding, to stumble and fall, and before Mr Herring could recover, the wagon with its ponderous weight caught his thigh in such a shape as to tear the flesh and muscle from the bone and mangle and lacerate it horribly. He is very low.

ISAAC NEWTON, JR.

WASHINGTON COUNTY LETTER.

HILLSBORO, Aug 23, 1875

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

On Saturday night last the rain came down "like a wolf on the fold," and such a glorious rain settling the dust and giving to all animate nature a freshness and vigor that strongly contrasted with the lassitude of the heated term. The clouds still hover around at this writing in a manner that keeps the farmers in a quiver of excitement for the harvest is hardly half through.

THE FAIR GROUNDS

Are being improved in buildings and ornaments and teams are busily engaged in smoothing and hardening down the track since the splendid showers. The Society has a large sprinkler or two in course of construction that will do much toward keeping down the dust that has so much annoyed visitors heretofore. Shade trees and seats will be abundantly supplied for the accommodation of the public this year. There have been some 22 stalls for horses already engaged. This department alone will be placed under the immediate care of a special superintendent, so that the accommodations may be better attended to. The board of directors have ordered straw stacked in some convenient place for bedding for the accommodation of stock. The refreshment stands are about all engaged. Many new and substantial buildings would be put up, but the directors are considering Mr Reed's suggestion of moving the buildings down to the railroad the coming year. However the walks and streets will be widened and straightened immediately and some new stands erected.

THE RACE TRACK,

Which resembled a field of fallow for months past is now being worked so that it will be the fastest track in the state. Horsemen are highly pleased to see how nicely it is working down (though the farmers don't see any fun in the rain).

HISTORY OF THE LEGAL TENDERS

Senator John Sherman in his recent speech in Ohio, gives a brief but clear history of our legal tender currency from February, 1862, when the act was passed, until now. We make the following extract, which is well worth reading:

I remember all the circumstances connected with the first and all the succeeding issues of United States notes and took as effective a part as any one else in providing for their issue. It was in February, 1862 after the banks had suspended specie payments when our armies had made no progress, our revenues were cut off by the war and our expenditures were more than $1 000 000 a day. There were then lying on the table of Mr Chase secretary of the treasury requisitions for over $80,000 000 to pay our soldiers and to supply them with food, ammunition and transportation. Our bonds could not be sold for there was no currency to pay for them. We had to issue the notes of the United States in the form of currency, and yet as a part of the public debt. The only question was whether they should be a legal tender between individuals in the payment of debts. Upon this point I had clear convictions. I felt that if our soldiers were compelled to take these notes as money that we were bound if we could to require everybody to take them as money. We could not leave them to the tender mercies of creditors, shavers and unpatriotic men, who would gladly decry and repudiate these notes. We therefore made them a legal tender and the supreme court has upheld our power to do so. But we took every precaution to prevent their depreciation. We carefully limited the amount. We made them receivable for all internal taxes; we made them a legal tender in payment for all debts and we made them convertible into bonds, the interest of which was payable in gold and the duties or taxes on imported goods were made payable in gold so that we would have an ample fund in gold to pay the interest. After all this we limited the amount beyond which we would never go at $400 000 000. Such was the care and solicitude with which we hedged in the greenbacks and every dollar of them was issued with the understanding and declared public policy that after the war was over, they would be redeemed in gold. The great error of our financial policy was in repealing, instead of suspending during the war the right of each holder, at his will, to convert his greenbacks into bonds. This would have restored them, soon after the war, to par in gold. The consequence of this error is to involve us in the discredit, now ten years after the war is over, of forcing everybody to take our notes at a depreciation of 14 per cent., while the United States, with ample means refuse to redeem them according to the promise printed on their face.

"WIGWAM AND WAR PATH"

The above is the title of Mr A B Meacham's long promised book on Indian matters, which has just been issued by John P Dale & Co of Boston. The work appears, as well as we can judge by the newspaper notices of it, to meet a very cordial reception. The Boston *Commercial Bulletin* of August 7th has the following very complimentary mention of it:

In the heated controversy which has so long agitated the country, with regard to our unfortunate aborigines, some impartial, reliable information with regard to them,—some work that will afford a correct estimate of the whole question at issue between us and our red countrymen, and, let us know exactly what the Indians are, what they want, what they can do, how they have been treated, and how they should be treated,—that is what we have long felt the need of.

In the ponderous volume before us an octavo of some 700 pages, we have the personal experiences of a gentleman who seems to have been providentially designed, both by natural gifts and by the force of circumstances, by education and training, to throw such light on the subject as would remove all doubt and perplexity. Mr Meacham has not only accomplished this, but he has given us a book that for eloquence of thought and language, vividness of description, force of argument, and minuteness of detail, leaves us nothing more to desire. It has been our privilege to hear the author narrate his own adventures in the memorable and murderous encounter with the Modocs, when Gen Canby and Dr Thomas fell victims to their treachery, and although these printed pages can scarcely produce the effect of vocal utterances, yet we know of no narrative of Indian adventure better calculated to enchain the attention than this work.

Mr Meacham's experience among Indians and his acquaintance with all the Indian territory, extends over a period of thirty years. He has seen them in peace and in war, on the plain and in the forest in the village, and in the lava beds, in their wigwams, and in the national capitol pleading for their rights. He understands them thoroughly, speaks their language knows all their habits, and entertains for them, a deep, but by no means perverted sympathy. He deals with them without poetry or prejudice, and is not blind to their faults, while applauding their virtues. That he is a warm advocate for their legitimate rights, and painfully sensible of the injustice and inhumanity with which the white man has treated them, is evident on every page of this work.

But the book is not only valuable on account of its able handling of the Indian question; its geographical and topographical information is a marked feature, and will commend it to all who desire a more intimate acquaintance with the great west. Its startling narratives, humorous and thrilling incidents, its eloquence and pathos will be appreciated by all, while the fact that the whole is exact and truthful in every detail will give the book permanent and substantial value.

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MONEY TO LOAN.
MONEY TO LOAN ON REASONABLE TERMS by JOHNSON, McCOWN & MACRUM

The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING AUG 25, 1875

THE 'COLOR LINE

The Democracy of Mississippi are this year divided on a question, upon which the party has ever been united before No matter what other points they have disagreed on, nor how wide they may have diverged in the methods by which they seek a given object, when once the "color line" is laid down the Democratic party has invariably been found ready to 'toe the mark" The question was squarely submitted in the State Democratic convention as to whether the campaign should be fought on the "color line" and those opposed to it, headed by Col Lamar, who was unanimously renominated for Congress in his district, seemed to have gained the day The platform adopted by the state convention recognizes to the fullest extent the civil and political equality of all men and asks the aid of voters of both races and of all parties to secure honest government for the state The "color line," we are told, was entirely ignored This action on part of the Mississippi Democracy, is a cheering sign, and cannot but have the effect to bring in a better era in politics in the South It will induce the colored people to reason, and their leaders to cease advocating the doctrine that the colored voters ought not to affiliate with the whites on any political question White and black are alike interested in good government and that such questions as the "color line" in politics are being obliterated in the South, and by the Democratic party, is one of the most favorable signs of the times

PROSPECTS FOR FARMERS

For some weeks past we have published a good deal of information of interest to the farmers of Oregon, in the matter of details of damages to crops caused by the storms and freshets in England, France and the United States, and the present and prospective effect of these storms upon the grain markets of the world Since the 30th of June the English wheat market has advanced at least 20 per cent upon the prices ruling during the preceding six months The cause of this advance was, first, the damaging wet weather in the beginning of the harvest in England and France, added to the probability of a low average in Hungary and Russia Following upon this news from abroad came a similar experience in many of the wheat-growing states of the Mississippi valley, utterly destroying a material per centage of the reserve upon which England and France expected to draw The usual annual deficiency in Great Britain is about seventy-two millions of bushels, whereas for the coming season the *Mark Lane Express*, conceded to be the most reliable authority in England, counts upon a deficiency of at least ninety millions of bushels In supplying this deficiency, France has heretofore been a formidable competitor with Russia and the United States, but for the coming grain year unfortunate France will herself be a purchaser, and to that extent add to the necessary exports from this country, while Russia has gradually been falling off in her shipments as compared with those of the United States for several years, and will be able to send out no greater shipments than heretofore

Taking all these facts into consideration, the farmers of Oregon have a good deal to encourage them and to lead them to hope for a better remuneration for their surplus four or five million bushels of grain this year During the past season, Great Britain, with a deficiency of seventy-two million bushels and the granaries of France open at her door, purchased of the United States over fifty millions of bushels of wheat With twenty millions added to her own deficiency, and the supply from France cut off the demand upon the farmers of the United States must be increased in no mean proportion and prices correspondingly advanced.

THE FORGED BONDS OF THE C & O R R

By mail advices it appears that the amount of money which was loaned upon forged bonds of the California & Oregon Railroad Company was only $7,500 One of the trustees of the company was shown one of the counterfeit bonds and asked if his signature thereon was correct and replied that it was all right, indicating that the execution of the bogus bonds must have been very fine an officer of the company not being able to detect a forgery of his own name Suspicions were aroused by the fact that the persons who held the bonds had not sold them at their market value 90 cents on the dollar, instead of borrowing the money of the bank It was evidently the intention of the forgers to operate to a large amount in these bonds both in this country and in Europe. This was shown by the fact that the loan had been negotiated "between the July and January coupons,' at a time when the payment of the July coupons was well out of the way, and there was a sufficient interval before the January coupons could be collected to flood the market with this fraudulent issue The private secretary of C P Huntington, who was present at the examination of the parties arrested for the forgery pronounced the signatures very finely executed, but the general appearance of the bond was not like the genuine also the vignette in the upper left hand corner was very poorly engraved

It is stated that General Sheridan will arrive in Portland by the next steamer from San Francisco The distinguished military services rendered by General Sheridan in the war of the rebellion and the fact that he was once a resident of this state and personally known to many of our people will insure him the welcome which befits the position he holds in the army of the republic

It seems from the tenor of our dispatches that the whisky ring is being driven to desperate measures for self protection Had the assassin who attempted Miller's life at Chicago been armed with a few pints of *some* qualities of the crooked' it might have been an easier matter for him to have saved the ring the trouble of meeting the oral testimony of that gentleman

It is rather odd that Mr Plimsoll' got mad on purpose and with the most happy results The British heart yearns to the sea and its attention has in this singular way been won to the sorrows of sailors who are sent into the deep in unseaworthy tubs Popular indignation will compel a real reform

SAVING THE CROPS

The recent rains appear to have been pretty general over this valley and though a great deal of grain is yet in the field it is not presumed that any serious losses will be incurred unless there should be a continuation of the showers or very damp weather A good deal of apprehension is felt lest the remarkably heavy and continuous rain storms which have prevailed a few degrees of latitude below us and in nearly the same thermal belt around the globe except on the Pacific slope may pass to this latitude and this region But few states north of the Ohio in fact none except Michigan Minnesota and Ohio have escaped this deluge of waters and no little anxiety exists on the part of all interested in mercantile matters and especially those connected with the grain trade, lest Jupiter Pluvius or as he's called by the St Paul *Press*, the Shearman of the skies—having exhausted his reservoirs farther south and east should open his fountains in the northern zone lest he should follow the good Ceres to almost the very last of her provinces which have escaped his devastatory floods, and rob her of her proudest trophies in the very hour of her triumph—so to speak

It is more than probable that the thrifty and prudent farmers who have taken the precaution to secure their crops in the smallest possible number of hours from the chapter of weather accidents, will save five times as much they will have expended and those who have neglected to do this in order to save the cost of help will probably find that they have lost five times as much as they will have saved There is no doubt that the advice to farmers that they spring promptly to the work of securing their crops in the briefest possible space of time employing all the available help for that purpose, is eminently sound, and that there's [illegible] in it

Rev Dr Eccleston, who was recently elected bishop of the diocese of the state of Iowa but against whose election sixteen parishes formally protested replies to the protest saying "Having treated all parties with all the respect that I could I must say that the information so far received by me does not, in my judgment, sustain the charges upon which I understand the protest to be based Nor do the many other grave questions started by the protest seem to me to point to my declination as duty in the premises' The standing committee of the diocese will now prepare the testimonial of Dr Eccleston's election, and forward it to the committees of the other dioceses of the Protestant Episcopal church and to the house of bishops for confirmation It is likely that nearly two months will elapse before the votes of the committees will have been returned

It is reported that the Republicans of Pennsylvania are a good deal disturbed by aspects of the temperance canvass Gen Hartranft by his approval of the general license law, has aroused the bitterest opposition of ultra temperance men The temperance candidate for governor (Brown) is an old Republican member of the legislature and the temperance nominee for treasurer, E F Pennybacker, of Chester county is also a good Republican The canvass has fully opened and local temperance tickets will be nominated in fully three fourths of the counties Recent developments confirm the belief that the temperance party throughout the state will cast fully 15,000, and may reach 20,000 votes

A Chicago *Times* Washington special credits Mr Cowan, assistant secretary of the interior, with conceding that it is an utter impossibility for the military to keep people out of the Black Hills Miners are constantly pouring in and the army contents itself with simply ordering them out again, to which the invaders pay very little attention All the reports of Prof Jenney of the unproductiveness of the mines fail to deter gold seekers from flocking to the forbidden country, and the Indians foreseeing the inevitable propose to make the government pay a round price for the release of their title to the coveted region

The report of the Chicago architects that the custom house walls of that city and foundation are in good condition is scouted by Secretary Bristow He sent competent unbiased men to examine the structure and they reported against continuing the work the secretary approved the report and now he says that all the brains and influence in Chicago could not turn him from his determination one iota—whereat the Chicago papers are wrathful, and abuse the secretary and Mr Potter the supervising architect of the treasury, because they will not allow the structure to rise upon an insecure foundation

The Rev Father Remy a missionary, has just arrived in England from Thibet The *Pall Mall Gazette* says that he made a number of conversions there under rather peculiar circumstances He was condemned to be quartered and his legs and arms were attached to four horses. But either the Abbe's limbs were uncommonly strong or else the horses were uncommonly weak for he resisted all their efforts Struck with admiration at his heroic conduct his persecutors embraced the martyr and his religion Certainly a signal triumph for muscular Christianity

A London dispatch of August 14th reports a hurricane and hailstorm at Pontoise, twenty miles northwest of Paris Many houses were unroofed, windows and chimneys were everywhere demolished In the surrounding country to the distance of several miles in every direction cattle were killed and fruit trees and vines destroyed A number of people were badly injured by the hailstones, which were of enormous size and it is feared that some will die from their injuries The tempest lasted only half an hour, but the damage it caused in that time is estimated at $100 000

A motion was made in the fourth district court of California last week by Judge Tyler to exclude S S Roberts from a case in which he was engaged Roberts not being a member of the bar Upon the motion the court ordered Roberts to appear and show cause why he should not be punished for contempt in practising before a court without a license In a slander suit between Le Mare and C A Lowe Tyler and Roberts were engaged as attorneys and it is alleged that Roberts dismissed the case without consulting Tyler

The St Louis and California *Advocates* are joking about the relative weights of the two bishops Kavanaugh and Peck, both assigned to California this year St Louis thinks there is a good deal of *episcopal weight* over there California responds that the little Southern *episcopos* of two hundred and fifty pounds is not to be spoken of in comparison with the Peck ian ponderousness over on the heavy side of three hundred and not yet done growing

MARRIED;

At Colfax W T August 12 Dr [illegible] H Kennedy of Dayton and Miss Mary J Seat of [illegible] county

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In this city Aug 20 Ester Ellen beloved wife of H B Starr aged 18 years and 6 months She leaves a husband and babe besides numerous friends to mourn for her

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WEATHER REPORT.—From the records of the U. S. Signal Station of Observation, Portland, Oregon, August 24, 1875:

	7 A. M.	2. P. M.	9. P. M.
Thermometer	60°	69°	62°
Wind, direction	Calm.	E.	N.W.
Wind, velocity	0	2	2
Weather	Cloudy.	Fair.	Fair.
Maximum temperature			72°

GENERAL SHERIDAN COMING.

General Howard, telegraphed yesterday to General Phil. Sheridan, who is now in San Francisco, asking him if he would favor the citizens of Portland with a visit previous to his return east. An answer was promptly returned that he would accept with pleasure the invitation thus extended him. General Sheridan will sail for Portland next Saturday, and may be expected to arrive here about one week from to-day. Gen. Howard will make extensive arrangements for giving the distinguished visitor a cordial reception, in every way befitting his rank in the army, as well as a deserved recognition of the eminent services rendered our common country by him during the late civil war. In paying honor to General Sheridan and extending him a cordial welcome to the state and city, General Howard's efforts will no doubt be heartily seconded by Mayor Chapman. The regimental band at Vancouver is to be ordered to this city; also all the troops stationed at that post. Amidst the crash of martial music and the thunder of salvos, the distinguished visitor will be received at the wharf on the arrival of the steamer, and escorted to his quarters. A committee will doubtless be appointed by Mayor Chapman, and members of the common council, who are to act in conjunction with the military and unite in formally tendering him the hospitalities of the city. General Sheridan will remain but a few days, and then return east, as he comes on a pleasure tour. Before returning to his eastern home, General Sheridan should not fail to visit the military post at Grand Ronde, Yamhill county, where he was stationed years ago—prior to the breaking out of the rebellion—and was known only to the world as an obscure lieutenant. Since then Gen. "Phil" has, with the aid of a brave heart, a strong right hand and a sword, hewn his way from obscurity to fame and fortune—to one of the highest positions known to the American army.

BRIEF NOTES.

The oyster season is at hand.

Meeting of common council this evening.

The *Oriflamme* at San Francisco yesterday.

Steamer arrived at 7:30 o'clock last evening.

The steamer *California* can be to arrive from Sitka in a few days.

The westside train, yesterday morning, consisted of 21 loaded cars.

Large numbers of Chinamen are coming up from the fisheries every day.

Capt. M. C. Wilkinson has gone to Port Townsend to report for court martial duty.

'Tis the last days of August, and the last roses are left blooming all by themselves, or words to that effect.

Alfred, Wilkie, the tenor, has organized a company to perform Arthur Sullivan's comic operetta of "Cox and Box."

An extra edition of the WEEKLY OREGONIAN will be issued this week. Persons wishing copies should leave orders early.

John Wilson, the well known circus manager, has opened on the corner of Mission and Seventh streets, San Francisco, the largest hippodrome in the United States.

"Let us lay our bones together," said a young lady sweetly to her companion at an evening dinner party; and she held up a drumstick in a dainty way. But he said: "No; rather let us be one flesh."

MILITARY NOTES.

Gen. Howard has just issued the following orders:

In accordance with the provisions of paragraph 1, general orders No. 42, current series, war department, on the recommendation of the post commander, the ration of bread at Fort Stevens, Oregon, is increased from 18 to 22 ounces.

Private William Mink, company B, 21st infantry, having reported at Fort Vancouver, W. T., from furlough, will report for duty to the commanding officer of that post, by whom he will be attached to a company for rations, etc., until the expiration of his term of enlistment.

The public exigencies requiring the immediate delivery of the articles, the post commissary of subsistence, Fort Klamath, Oregon, is authorized to purchase in open market, at the lowest obtainable rates, twenty-five thousand (25,000) pounds potatoes and thirteen thousand (13,000) pounds onions.

POLICE COURT NOTES.

John Smith; assault and battery; case continued until to-day.

Pat. Ryan, for stealing a box of soap, was sent to the county jail for twenty days.

George Smith; disorderly conduct by squirting water on a Chinaman; fined $5; paid.

Ah Lin, for peddling in the city without a license, was fined $10. Subsequently he was discharged on payment of $5.

Wm. Martin, a. d. d., was fined $10, and failing to show sufficient cause to the contrary, was sent below for five days. John Shanks, for a similar offense, was also committed five days.

PERSONAL.

Rev. J. D. Eaton, pastor of the First Congregational Church, returned to this city on Monday from a brief sojourn at the seaside. He was accompanied by his amiable and accomplished wife. Both return greatly invigorated in mind and body.

Miss Ellen J. Chamberlain, a young lady who has had charge of the academical department of the Wallamet University for the past six years, returned last evening on the steamer from a protracted visit to her friends in Oakland, California. Her many friends will be pleased to learn of her safe return.

Fresh Shoalwater bay oysters just received at A. E. Miller & Co.'s, First street.

SAN FRANCISCO BOOT & SHOE STORE, Moore & Hollibaugh, successors to J. Fleischner, 123 First street, respectfully say to the public generally, that they have marked down the old stock from 25 to 50 per cent., and intend to sell regardless of cost. They have this day received a large stock of New Goods; latest styles, which they will sell as cheap as the cheapest, endeavoring to suit all who may favor them with their patronage. Custom work done in the latest styles and on new and scientific principles. Repairing done to order. All work warranted. Give them a call before purchasing elsewhere.

COLD LUNCHES.—The oyster season having closed, WALLER & SON, Oak street, between First and Second, will serve Rare Lunches to their patrons at all hours. The OXFORD SALAD DRESSING, their own preparation, is meeting with great favor. Try it.

The AMERICAN EXCHANGE HOTEL is still run by Quimby, who has been here for the past ten years, and intends to continue. He has no connection whatever with the St. Charles Hotel. His old patrons may be sure of always meeting him at the American Exchange as of old. jy7tf

For the Summer and Fall season some new and appropriate styles in clothing have been introduced. The large and varied stock at BECK & WALDMAN'S is worthy of inspection by all intending to buy something unusually new and attractive. Their late arrivals of Furnishing Goods are also very fine and must meet with great favor. This firm continue to offer special inducements in youths' clothing. In every respect their stock is complete.

One of the most attractive establishments in the city is that of JOS. KOHN'S, in the handsome building recently constructed at the corner of First and Morrison street. Mr. KOHN has an unusually large and varied stock of Clothing, Furnishing Goods, Trunks, Valises, &c. He made it a point to select goods, on his late trip, specially adapted to the local trade, and his customers will find everything in the new store of the very best quality, latest styles, and the prices regulated to suit.

ACCORDED CHRISTIAN SEPULTURE.

By order of General Howard the following letter has been written to the commanding officer at Fort Klamath in relation to the disinterment of the remains of those who lost their lives in the famous lava beds during the Modoc war, the conveying of the same to the fort and according to them a Christian burial in the cemetery at the post. Brief mention has been made of the order, but we publish the letter in full:

PORTLAND, Oregon, Aug. 5, 1875.

To the Commanding Officer, Fort Klamath—SIR: Referring to your post orders No. 51, paragraph 2, July 8, 1875, detailing a detachment of one commissioned officer and six enlisted men to proceed to the lava beds to examine into the condition of the graves of the dead buried there, the department commander directs you will send out a party and disinter the remains of the officers and enlisted men buried at the foot of the bluff near Gen. Gillem's old camp; also gather together the remains that can be found in and around the sandy butte where Captain Thomas' fight took place, and have them conveyed to Fort Klamath and buried in the post cemetery. A rude monument of rocks and stone will be erected at both places to designate the spots; and in this connection your attention is invited to a communication from these headquarters dated August 29, 1873, to General Wheaton on this subject.

The party will also enlarge by the addition of rocks the monument erected to the memory of General Canby. See enclosed memorandum as to spot where it is located.

Very respectfully,
Your obedient servant.
(Signed) H. CLAY WOOD,
Assistant Adjutant-General.

The New York *Times* of August 13th thus describes the sale of the Northern Pacific Railroad:

At noon yesterday eighteen or twenty gentlemen gathered in the rain on the custom-house steps. Among them were Jay Cooke and Samuel Wilkeson. Mr. Burdett, the auctioneer, soon put in an appearance, and offered the Northern Pacific Railroad for sale. There was no excitement and no competition. According to a prearranged plan the road was sold for $100,000 to Messrs. Livingston, Billings, Stark, Moorhead, Hutchinson and Denison, a purchasing committee representing the bondholders. Included in the sale was the "franchise to be a corporation, and all property of the company except those lands which have been patented and certified." It was all over, in five minutes. The purchasing committee will soon call in the bonds and carry out the proposed plan of reorganization.

A Minnesota paper made a young poetess say: "Oh, for a heart full of sweet yearlings!" The poetess wrote to the editor, declaring that she wrote "yearnings!" and that the printer who set it up "yearlings" was a calf.

RETURNED.—Dr. Welch, dentist, has returned to Portland, and can be found at his office in Odd Fellows' Temple.

They will treat you in capital style at Fabre & Barnes, Central Market.

Miss C. E. Batchelder's select school will commence Monday, Aug. 30, 1875.

Genuine imported Vichy water and the delicious creme Polar soda water can only be had at Pfunder's German pharmacy, New Theatre block.

If you want a bargain in Real Estate, attend the auction sale at DeLashmutt & Oatman's, on the 25th inst., some desirable residence and business property will be disposed of on that day. au24dit

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STUDIES WILL BE RESUMED AT ST. MARY'S Academy, in this city, on Monday, Aug. 30th. Parents and Guardians are requested to send Pupils promptly at the commencement of the scholastic year, so that they may enter their classes at the commencement of studies. au21dtsepl

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About September 1st, Mr. Gantenbein expects to remove the School to the Beth Israel School House, corner of Oak and Sixth streets.
Applications for admission are to be addressed to the Director,
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THE SCHOOL YEAR CONSISTS OF THREE Terms, beginning respectively on the first Wednesday of September, December and March.
In the University the Tuition is $45 per year; in the Academy, $30 per year, payable per term in advance. Board $3 to $4 per week.
Examinations for admission will be held September 1st, at 9 A. M., at the College.
For further information, apply to the President or any other member of the Faculty. au19d3w

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION, 1876.

U. S. CENTENNIAL COMMISSION,
PHILADELPHIA, July 26, 1875.

SIR: Numerous inquiries have been addressed to me by State Centennial Boards and others engaged in preparing collective representations of the resources of their states, as to the proper character and arrangement of such exhibits. I have, accordingly, the honor to submit to you some suggestions on this point, which are designed to insure a certain desirable uniformity among the exhibits made by different states.

A method which has been pursued advantageously in several quarters has been to ascertain from the classification in which of its departments the state has resources for organizing a display. Every such department has then been placed in charge of an expert, whose duty it became to supervise the collecting, selection, and forwarding of the objects to be exhibited. In some cases these experts have found it practicable and desirable to invoke the aid of assistants in every county throughout their states; and in others, they have been able to avail themselves of the aid of existing societies and associations. In the preparation of agricultural collections especially, the boards of some of the states, with the view of securing the best representative specimens, have thought it well to hold preliminary county or state exhibitions during the coming autumn, in order to select from the variety of products offered those most worthy of being forwarded to the International Exhibition.

In two of the departments at least every state should be represented—that of agriculture and that devoted to mining and metallurgy. The agricultural department will contain timber, fruits, cereals, animals, wild and tame, animal products, &c. The department of mining and metallurgy should comprise a complete exhibit of the geology of the state—its minerals, ores, building stones, soil, etc., especially of such as are valuable in commerce or in manufactures. Except when the excellence of objects of this kind depends upon their size, it is desirable to avoid undue bulk or weight, and half a cubic foot may be taken as the standard of extreme size. As far as possible the collective exhibition of each state should be made in a glass case, and systematically and analytically arranged, with a view to their permanent preservation in a state museum or for deposit in some public institution. A scale drawing of each case should be sent to this office as soon as possible for the information of the installation department. Soils, seeds, cereals, etc., should be exhibited in glass vials or tubes.

The exhibition of the growth and workings of the common school and higher educational system is a matter of great importance, and full statistics concerning it are desired. Those to whom this department is entrusted would do well to place themselves in communication with the Hon. John Eaton, superintendent of the bureau of education, Washington, D. C., with reference to the system on which their exhibition should be organized.

Those having the care of the exhibition in their several states should, through the press or otherwise, stimulate an interest among the manufacturers and producers to make applications for space at once. In the course of a week a definite allotment will be made of the space. You will perceive, therefore, the necessity of immediate action if measures are to be taken to encourage participation by exhibitors in your state. I am, yours very respectfully, A. T. GOSHORN, Director General.

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President.

ELLIS G. HUGHES, Secretary.
Portland, Aug. 13, 1875. au16dtd

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au11dtf H. HUGHES, Inspector.

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The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, AUG 25, 1875

REGRET

If I had known O loyal heart
When hand to hand we said farewell,
How for all time our paths would part
What shadow o'er our friendship fell
I should have clasped your hand so close
In the warm pressure of my own
That memory still would keep its grasp
If I had known.

If I had known when far and wide
We loitered through the summer land
What Presence wandered by our side
And o'er you stretched its awful hand
I should have hushed my careless speech
To listen, dear, to every tone
That from your lips fell low and sweet
If I had known

If I had known when your kind eyes
Met mine in parting true and sad—
Eyes gravely tender gently wise
And earnest rather more than glad—
How soon the lids would lie above
As cold and white as sculptured stone
I should have treasured every glance,
If I had known

If I had known how from the strife
Of fears hopes passions here below
Unto a purer higher life
That you were called O friend to go
I should have stayed my foolish tears
And hushed each idle sigh and moan
To bid you a last long God speed
If I had known.

If I had known to what strange place
What mystic distant silent shore
You calmly turned your steadfast face
That time your footsteps left my door
I should have forged a golden link
To bind the heart so constant grown,
And keep it constant ever there,
If I had known

If I had known that, until Death
Shall with his finger touch my brow,
And still the quickening of the breath
That stirs with life's full meaning now
So long my feet must tread the way
Of our accustomed paths alone
I should have prized your presence more
If I had known

If I had known how soon for you
Drew near the ending of the fight
And on your vision fair and new
Eternal peace dawned into sight,
I should have begged as love's last gift
That you before God's great white throne
Would pray for your poor friend on earth
If I had known.

—*Christian Reid in Appleton's Journal*

A SWIM OF TWENTY MILES AT SEA

The special correspondent of the London *Daily Telegraph* writes under date, Dover, Tuesday night, July 20th

"Captain Matthew Webb accomplished the feat of swimming from Dover to Ramsgate to day, in eight hours and forty five minutes, the distance being computed at twenty miles He wore no dress, and was altogether unassisted by artificial appliances He dived from a boat under the lee of the Admiralty pier at 9 35 A M, and crossed the outer margin of the bay at a pace that taxed the power of the boatmen to row alongside him The tide was then in his favor, running moderately toward the South Sands Head At noon he was off Walmer Castle, which is about half the distance He took a little ale at intervals, the refreshment being handed to him, but he did not touch the boat After passing this point the tide was not so favorable, and the swimmer's progress became slower, but he showed no signs of exhaustion Deal pier was passed a little before 1 o'clock Opposite Sandwich Haven the water was lumpy, and by the advice of the boatmen he kept a good distance from the shore, where the sea was smoother In crossing the outer margin of Pegwell Bay, about 4 o'clock, the tide turned and went right against him, and for the next two hours and a half he had to swim against the ebbing tide During the whole time he kept up excellent pluck, and at 6 40 he swam into the Ramsgate harbor, when he got into a boat, and from thence, amid the cheers of a crowd of spectators who had been apprised of his arrival by telegraph, sprang up a ladder to the quay and walked to the harbor office On getting out of the water Captain Webb states that he was as warm as when he went in, notwithstanding that during the greater part of the time it had been raining pitilessly, and the atmosphere rather cool He firmly believes that on a calm, dry day, by taking the best advantage of the currents, he can swim from Dover to the other side of the Channel, and he intends, on the first favorable day, to make the trial Concerning this remarkable swimmer, it may be interesting to state that he has been accustomed to the sea from his boyhood, being now twenty seven years of age He is a native of Colebrookdale, Shropshire, has been in the merchant service and has made several voyages from Liverpool to New York, in which service he held and still holds a chief mate's certificate He has been master of several vessels in the coasting trade, and he has been for years an excellent swimmer Last summer he swam from Dover to beyond the Varne, a distance of sixteen miles, and his feat of swimming twenty miles in the Thames a short time ago, is in the recollection of the public. In his personal appearance Captain Webb presents a ruddy, open, but determined countenance, a well-knit frame, and stands about five feet six inches. He is unobtrusive, and is not associated with any one here seeming to have no object beyond an ambition to prove his ability to swim from England to France He leaves Dover for London to-morrow, but intends returning the next day He will defer his attempt to cross the Channel till the weather is more settled"

HUMOROUS

The naked truth—A bear story

They now call retired printers ex-press men

When does a man have to keep his word? When no one will take it

Jones' horse is troubled with the heaves He heaves every one that attempts to ride him

The rooster on the top of the liberty pole says he'll be scorched if he stands this heat any longer.

An astronomer can discover more wonderful things with one eye than most men can with two

It is one of the curiosities of natural history that a horse enjoys his food most when he hasn't a bit in his mouth

An Iowa editor recently announced that a certain patron of his was "thieving as usual It was written "thriving"

A tourist who was asked in what part of Switzerland he felt the heat the most replied, "When I was going to Berne"

It is not so extraordinary that Nebuchadnezzar lived on grass We know of hundreds upon hundreds who live on the turf

"I think I never met you before, sir Are you not Owen Smith" "Oh, yes I'm owin Smith, and owin' Jones, and owin Brown and owin everybody"

"We have all our crosses" sighed Cardinal McCloskey, as he mournfully pinned on that $20 000 diamond, one the St Vincent pupils thrust upon him

A philosopher asserts that the reason why ladies' teeth decay sooner than gentlemen's is because of the friction of the tongue and the sweetness of the lips

So Spinner after handling hundreds of millions comes out $2 ahead I frame that bill, General and hang it up for your posterity to be proud of —*Mail*

A farmer in Charlton, found a way to make a balky horse go He took him to a strange town and put him up at auction He went for $80 —*Bu[illegible]*

What is the difference between spermaceti and a schoolboy's howl? One is the wax produced by the whale and the other is the wail produced by the whacks

Chinese is to be taught at a Boston normal school The girls are determined to be no longer ignorant of what is written on fire cracker packs and tea chests —*Mail*

"Now, then, children," said a parish schoolmistress showing her children off on examination day, "Who loves all men?" "You, miss!" was the unexpected reply

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

TUESDAY EVENING August 24 1875

Gold in New York 113¼

Legal Tenders in Portland—buying 87¼, selling 88¼

Coin Exchange on San Francisco at par

Currency Exchange on San Francisco ½ per cent premium

Coin Exchange on New York ¾ per cent premium

Currency Exchange on New York ¼ per cent premium

Telegraphic transfers on New York 1 per cent premium

Gold Bars 50 par

Matters remain at a stand still in the grain market and there will probably be no movement for some days to come Dealers generally have their hands full, and are not disposed with the present advices from England to increase their engagements The nominal quotations given are not tempting Farmers do not offer and as matters stand the agents do not care to solicit Meantime the farmers are busy in the harvest field In consequence of the activity that is being displayed in harvest operations the market is depleted of feed supplies and is likely to remain so for some time to come In other articles of produce there is no change worth noting

The William H Besse which arrived here to lay consigned to McCraken & Co is a new ship and is named after her master who is part owner She is a beautiful model is strongly built and is a credit to our merchant marine She was built in Bath Me, on the same stocks as the Alden Besse well known at this port of which vessel she may be considered the companion Her first voyage was made from New York to Australia from thence she went to China and from China to San Francisco making the last mentioned voyage in 30 days. She came from San Francisco to this port in 14 days bringing a valuable cargo consisting of 800 tons of general merchandise Amongst her cargo are 200 tons railroad iron for the Walla Walla railroad The remainder of her cargo is nearly all consigned to Portland merchants She will commence discharging to day From here she will make another trip to China, carrying lumber and flour Her full capacity is 1 600 tons.

The Besse brings a small consignment of common articles of furniture It is noteworthy that since the establishment of the Oregon Furniture Manufactory the importation of the finer descriptions of furniture for marketable purposes has almost ceased The home manufacture of stoves for parlor and kitchen use has also had a tendency to weaken the foreign supply of such articles, and this being the case the destruction by fire of Mr Nation's foundry, at East Portland where the manufacture of stoves was a specialty will be regretted by all who are interested in the promotion of native industries. Mr Nation estimates his loss at $10 000, of which amount only $2 000 is met by insurance

The Wheat Crop East.

The area of the wheat crop of Minnesota is estimated at least 1 840 000 acres The official returns of the acreage of wheat for 1874 foot up 1 67? 000 The annual increase for previous years was from 15 to 22 per cent Assuming an increase of only 10 per cent over 1874 the number of acres in wheat in 1875 would be 1 840 000 The information from all parts of the state except a very small and sparsely settled district of the upper Mississippi where the drouth has shriveled the wheat on sandy soil and the small area devastated by grasshoppers is that the wheat crop is one of the heaviest which has been harvested for years and in many parts of the state it is said to be the heaviest crop which has ever been harvested There are a great many fields which good judges believe will yield thirty bushels per acre Twenty five bushels per acre is a frequent estimate of the average yield for local districts of considerable extent. In view of the uniform testimony to the abundance of the crop with rare exceptions throughout the state 18 bushels per acre is a very safe and conservative estimate of the average yield for the whole area. This will give a total of 33,120,000 bushels. The wheat destroyed by grasshoppers is estimated at 1 120 000 bushels Subtract this from the whole crop and there will be remaining in the granaries of that state, as the result of the present harvest, 32 000 000 bushels of wheat. This will leave a surplus of at least 25 000 000 bushels exclusive of the amount reserved for home consumption and seed In view of the present and prospective condition of the wheat market, it is safe to say that this surplus will sell for an average throughout the state of not less than 90 cents per bushel and possibly $1 At the lowest figure the money value of the Minnesota wheat crop of 1875 will be $23 500 000 being $13 000 000 in excess of that of 1874—a good showing despite the grasshoppers.

The Grain Crops of Europe.

The English crop is being gathered and in quantity justifies the prophecies made regarding it In quality, however it seems above the average and it is being brought into market in good condition A reliable summary of the crops in other parts of Europe is given by no less an authority than Alex Delmar in the Chicago *Times* from which we glean the following

In Austria a severe drouth prevailed throughout May and June which badly injured the cereals But in the early part of June all the cereal crops were secured in Bohemia Moravia and Silesia except rye and barley was a good average The wheat was a good average in quantity but shriveled and light in quality. In other eastern provinces wheat was badly injured by the drouth The western provinces gave promise of a fair crop of the cereals in June but in July the outturn of wheat and rye proved to be less than expected The general crop will be less than an average and in all probability there will be a deficit

In Hungary not a drop of rain from May 21st to June 23d. Fields dried and parched This drouth was followed by deluging rains with fearful loss of property on the mountain slopes and of more than 100 lives. All through the valley of the Danube the crops are bad and will hardly average half a crop In July another drouth succeeded this deluge, and more deluges after this drouth The crops have been shriveled by the drouth, washed out by rains and beaten down by hail Hungary will have no wheat to export. Oats but half a crop

The average surplus of wheat and wheat flour for export from the Austro Hungarian empire is 12,000 000 bushels per annum and 6 300 000 bushels of rye, barley and buckwheat, but the Austrian empire will need to import during the ensuing year about 13 000 000 bushels of wheat and 16 000 000 bushels of rye

Belgium is also affected with alternate drouth and rain The wheat and rye crops below average

Denmark shows an average crop But Iceland has been desolated with an irruption of Mount Hecla. Half the population which is 70 000 in all is threatened with famine

In France the weather was very dry during the spring Heavy rains in June in the southern part caused a destructive overflow of the Garonne Four of the nine districts into which France is divided will have a scanty crop of bread stuffs In Normandy the crops were poor Violent hail storms on the 7th and 8th of July beat down the crops Mr Delmar says it is a mistake to suppose that France is an exporting country for grain True from her eastern and northern seaports she exports grain to England, but she imports at Marseilles from Russia and Algeria far more than he exports from the seaports of the north She usually imports about 21 500 000 bushels of grain, and she will require at least this much the ensuing year

In Algeria the crops are bad and deficient None for export.

Home Produce Market

WHEAT—There is no movement in the market Buyers do not care to purchase and name $1 50 as their price simply to give a quotation At this figure producers will not sell

FLOUR—There is still quite an active movement in shipments to San Francisco and with a slight decline in receipts we note the fact of reduced but by no means depleted stocks in the hands of the agent of our State mills Quotations are still firm at $[illegible] bbl for standard extras $5 50 for good outside and country brands and $5 for superfine

OATS—The receipts are light and no shipments abroad have been made during the week the home grade consuming about all offering The milling quotations is 45@50 cents ₩ bushel The crop is reported a good average in many localities but taking the scope of country at large which supplies this market it is hardly thought the yield per acre will be beyond that of last year which was considered short The acreage however is greater and the aggregate yield will be much greater while the prospect for good prices is much better than last fall

MILL FEED—There is no active demand now and with light receipts the trade is quite dull We quote jobbing prices $16@17 50 for bran $[illegible] @[illegible] for shorts and $28@30 for choice middlings etc.

BARLEY—Prices are unchanged and in the absence of sufficient transactions to establish prices we quote feed at $1 40 and choice brewing $1 45@1 50 per cwt.

POTATOES—The new crop in full supply is now in the market and selling at 50@65 cents per bushel, according to variety

ONIONS—Some large importations from California are at hand and our home crop is reported fair We quote at $1 75@2 ₩ 100 lbs.

FRESH FRUIT—The market is filled with ripe fruits of all seasonable kinds and prices are moderate but quotations depend altogether on quality and condition and the wants of buyers

BACON—The supply is not so large and with a falling off in receipts prices have stiffened up a little and quotations are now furnished at 14½c ₩ lb for sides 13@14c for hams and 8@9c for shoulders

LARD—The supply is not excessive and quotations are firm at 1[illegible] cents per lb in kegs or tins.

EGGS—Jobbing lots have been placed to day at 33 cents ₩ dozen

BUTTER—The range is from 20@30c the latter figure for choice dairy In kegs we quote extra at [illegible] ₩ lb in jobbing lots

CHEESE—Choice Oregon made quotable in this market [illegible] cents ₩ lb

CHICKENS—The market is freely supplied with full grown at $1 50@3 per dozen and spring $[illegible] 50 @[illegible]

BEEF CATTLE—Quotations remain at 3½@4c ₩ lb nett and [illegible]

MUTTON SHEEP—A light demand rules at from $2@2 75 ₩ head

DRESSED HOGS—Trade dull at from [illegible]@6 4c ₩ lb

HIDES AND FURS—There is quite an active trade for the season and we quote best selected hides at [illegible] ₩ lb culls ⅓ off green [illegible] elk 18@20c ₩ lb deer 18@35c ₩ lb for dried and [illegible] c each green mink skins $1 50 each otter $1@5 each beaver 75c@$1

WOOL—Transactions have not been large during the week under review but shipments foot up quite heavily mostly to order in San Francisco or the East The steamer Idaho carried away 2?5 000 lbs this afternoon and another large invoice will go by the Orillamme to morrow The spring clip is generally out of first hands

Shipping Intelligence.

The John L Stephens arrived at her dock from San Francisco this evening

The Am ship Wm H Besse from San Francisco consigned to J McCraken & Co arrived at McCraken's wharf yesterday forenoon She brings a cargo of 800 tons of assorted merchandise

The Br bark Forward was towed down to Reinier from the North Portland Mills yesterday

The Am ship Garibaldi bound for China with a cargo similar to that of the Forward is taking on lumber at the mills of Smith Bros.

The steamer Vasco de Gama is advertised to sail from San Francisco on the 9th of October for New Zealand and Australia, carrying the British and United States mails

[BY TELEGRAPH]

SAN FRANCISCO Aug, 24 —Arrived—Bark Brontes Utsalady ship Eldorado Androssan Br ship New York Liverpool Br ship Airlie Glasgow str Idaho Portland U S str Richard Rush Coos Bay ship United States Liverpool ship Ladoga New York str Orillamme Portland

Sailed—Ship Helicon Manila schr Bobolink, Umpqua schr Annie Gee Coos Bay

San Francisco Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH]

SAN FRANCISCO Aug 24—Flour—Extra jobbing $6 75@7

Wheat—Position unchanged holders firm at $2 10 @2 20 as extremes.

Barley—Feed $1 4?@1 5?

Oats—$1 [illegible] for feed $?@2 10 for choice heavy milling

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EUREKA W T Aug 12 1875

My attention has been called to an item published in the *Evening Journal* of August 10th, under the head of "POISONED BY EATING CANNED SALMON" which reflects upon me as the salmon in question is said to be the "Star Brand" from my fishery The item states that when the can was first opened the persons ate of its contents without unpleasant results The can remained open two days, when the same persons partook of the fish and soon afterwards began purging as if poisoned, etc This is not to be wondered at, as a can of any kind of canned goods will commence fermenting in a very short time after being opened and allowing the air to come in contact with it more particularly canned fish The very fact that the parties eat from the can on its first being opened proves that the salmon was good and that they could only blame themselves for allowing it to stand long enough to spoil before eating it Any fish will spoil in warm weather sometimes in twenty four hours according to the warmth of the climate it is exposed in In some climates it will keep after being opened for several days if in winter time but the general supposition is that when a party opens a can of fish that they will follow the directions on label and not open until they require to use it and then if they follow these directions I desire that they first cut the top entirely out of the can then place it in a dish partly filled with boiling water so the water will come up two thirds to the top of the can until the can and until the fish is thoroughly heated through when they will empty it out on a dish to be served from table which will avoid breaking the fish es in doing this It comes out in a solid lump and by covering it with a nice sauce makes a fine and wholesome dish If wanted cold it is expected that any one would empty the fish out of the can into a vegetable dish and pour vinegar on it if desired this way but it is not expected for any one to eat a little from the can and then let it spoil expecting that it will keep any length of time after opening and allow anyone to partake of at their pleasure As regards using coloring or adulterating the fish in any way I don't do any thing of the kind nor never did nor never heard of any one who has ever done so My fish come fresh and hard to the shop and are canned at once while fresh After being nicely cleaned and cut up ready for the cans and the cans are always washed before putting in any fish the only thing put in is a little salt for seasoning When the fish and salt are in the can it is then sealed up and cooked at once Great injustice has been done me in publishing any such reports and they should not have done so until they had proofs that I am guilty of such an outrage

au14d1w JOSEPH HUME

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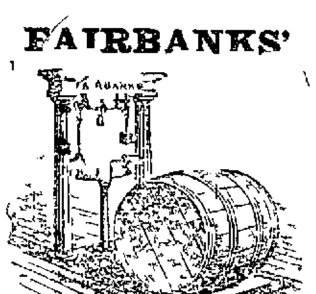

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Block	Lot	Owner	Assessm t.
34	3 4	A P & I Ankeny	$319 37
37	N 1	Thos Stephens	127 56
	S 1	I S & W K Smith	114 73
	2	J S Smith	16 [illegible]
	[illegible]	Henry Failing	111 1
	[illegible]	I J Stark	114 32
	[illegible]	Jacob Kamm	117 [illegible]
26	[illegible]	Bloch & Cohn	126 08
	[illegible]	Milford & Vanschuyver	117 5?
	N 2	Eugene Shelby	111 70
	[illegible]	Taylor & Burnside	311 11
	1	A B Hallock and Estate of W M Mill	220 14
10	[illegible]	H W Corbett	104 57
	[illegible]	I & H Failing	96 71
	[illegible]	Mrs Lucy Mead	100 01
40	[illegible]	E & N Fusenburn	112 05
	[illegible]	J H Seller	143 12
	[illegible]	Benj Stark	303 00
	[illegible]	Estate of Wm Cree	136 59
33	[illegible]	Lall & Tilton	141 70
	[illegible]	Smith & Davis	124 48
	[illegible]	I White & Co	192 75
	[illegible]	B Goldsmith	118 02
	[illegible]	[illegible]	422 42
Central	1	D H Herrington	11 94
		Noal Lambert	13 42
		H I Host	12 4?
		L W Cook	11 4?
	1	A J Watson	3? 26
O S N Co	1 3 4	R R Thompson & J Kamm	853 17
81	1	I J Stark	808 72
80		J B Price	138 53
		B F Smith	9 67
3, 1	5	S G Reed & H Failing	510 13
71	1	H L Hitlock	182 81
	1	L M Starr	20 55
		J R Jeffrey	91 80
4	5 7 3	J S Smith	293 58
			$7 413 71

By order of the Common Council
W S CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk

August 16 1875 au16d10d

Montgomery Street

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASSESSment made by Ordinance No 1668 for the improvement of Montgomery street, in the manner provided by Ordinance No 1615 on each of the following described lots fronting upon that part of Montgomery street lying between Fourth and Tenth streets as well as those liable for a proportionate share of improving the intersection of said street with streets running at right angles therewith is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer in United States gold and silver coin and unless paid within fifteen days from the date hereof the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection thereof.

Block	Lot	Owner	Assessm t
20	1 2 7 8	Blumauer & Rosenblatt	$193 22
20	1 7 8	I S Rosenbaum	248 57
Park	11 12	City of Portland	357 05
200	1	C S Sevenadr	27 76
	2	W W Page	12 47
	8	F Zeitfuchs	26 83
161	1 2 7 8	Fleischner & Hirsch	64 39
163	1 8	Estate of I A Davenport	83 38
241	3 1 5	C H Wilbur	18 40
162	3	J A Strowbridge	2 41
162	4	W A Smith	31 76
	5	Wilson Bowlby	8 75
			$1 0[illegible]8 9

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South Fourth Street

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMmon Council of the City of Portland propose to improve that part of South Fourth street lying between Lincoln and Sheridan streets by laying sidewalks crosswalks running north and south, and plank gutters where necessary with the requisite grading, therefor

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O M BARNARD
Assessor of Multnomah County Oregon

Aug 1[illegible] 1875 a?d1aw?w&w

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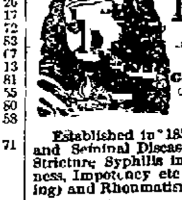

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Horrible Diseases.

How many thousands of persons, both [illegible] female are there who are suffering out a [illegible] existence from the effects of secret indi[illegible] from virus absorbed into the system [illegible] pallid emaciated and disfigured faces broken down constitutions, disqualifying the happiness of marriage or the enjoy[illegible] In this horrid situation thousands suffer until [illegible] closes the scene Let parents, guardians, [illegible] tend to those who are suffering with any [illegible] horrible life-destroying maladies see that [illegible] cared for and cured before it be too [illegible] immediately to DR. GIBBON [illegible] made private diseases his espe[illegible] and who is certain to cure the [illegible] without mercury or any injurio[illegible] portant to those who are affli[illegible] are interested in the welfare of [illegible] careful of the many pretended [illegible] all cities, publishing their skill [illegible] in a few days, imposing upon the [illegible] the names of eminent physicians [illegible] other places Be therefore ca[illegible] inquiry, or you may fall into [illegible] charlatans

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Or those who contemplate marriage who [illegible] ing under any of these fearful maladies, [illegible] forget the sacred responsibility resting upon [illegible] nor delay to obtain immediate relief.

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Said labor to be performed within the prison enclosure and the convicts to be subject to prison discipline and rules viz Seven working hours from October 1st to April 1st and ten working hours from April 1st to October 1st, with entire exemption from labor each and every Saturday afternoon.

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W H WATKINDS Supt.

Salem Aug 5 1875 a5d3d

TO BUILDERS.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at E M Burton's Office No 72 First street (up stairs) until 12 o'clock M Friday, the twenty seventh (27th) day of August 1875 for the erection of an addition to the Insane Asylum East Portland

Bids must state the price for building and furnishing all materials according to the plans and specifications

Bonds with approved security will be required. The building to be finished by the first day of November next.

The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved au16d1 J C HAWTHORNE

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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Failure Items

[illegible] YORK Aug 25 —Robert H Johnson, cotton [illegible] suspended payment last spring when he [illegible] ed an extension but owing to a difficulty in [illegible] ing collections has been unable to meet the ob[illegible] ions thus contracted.

[illegible] otiations are pending to allow the clothing [illegible] of William A Perry of Newark to resume. [illegible] airs of the firm are complicated with the set[illegible] of Howell & Co of New York, and T W [illegible] nt of [illegible] & Co of Cincinnati

[illegible] Butler Duncan has written a letter stating [illegible] he adopted the method of his proposition of [illegible] 16th for the purpose of retaining alive in the [illegible] of Kennedy & Burr the obligations of Dun [illegible] Sherman & Co He says the composition notes [illegible] ose to give will if required be endorsed by [illegible] an, Sherman & Co whose partnership has [illegible] dissolved

Irish Giant Dying.

[illegible] YORK Aug 25.—O Baldwin, the Irish giant, [illegible] ing hero of lung disease

Saratoga Scullers.

[illegible] ATOGA Aug 25 —The regatta was renewed to- [illegible] and Courtney was the winner of the champion [illegible] race for seniors two miles, in 13 minutes 53½

[illegible] second race, for pair-oar shells, one and a [illegible] miles, was won by the Argonauts in twenty [illegible] inutes and a half second

American Stocks in London.

[illegible] YORK Aug 25 —A London special says At [illegible] ning of business this morning, the market [illegible] with comparatively few changes in prices, [illegible] are recorded being in favor of American [illegible] with the exception of Erie, which [illegible] a decline of a quarter per cent. United [illegible] sixes of 61 appreciated one quarter, N Y [illegible] and Hudson River Railroad have gone up [illegible] ne per cent. and are in active demand for [illegible] ment.

Fire.

[illegible] Aug 25.—The Barnes house, in West [illegible] d, Vermont, was burned yesterday Loss [illegible]

Railroad Accident.

[illegible] Aug 25 —An express train went through [illegible] dge four miles south of here instantly kill[illegible] nductor A W Locke engineer Lorenzo [illegible] and fireman Ed. Kelly A few passengers in [illegible] t coach were slightly bruised and shaken [illegible] the rest escaped without injury The train [illegible] ning at a low rate of speed at the time, [illegible] utionary instructions to employes as tor[illegible] water were pouring through all the cul[illegible] d bridges.

Burglars Caught.

[illegible] YORK, Aug 25 —Two burglars were dis[illegible] this morning in John G Gottsberger's [illegible] by a son of the proprietor The son stepped [illegible] hall, and as one of the burglars dashed [illegible] knocked him insensible by a blow from an [illegible] club. The other burglar ran into a room [illegible] aped from the window into the arms of the [illegible] officer who had answered the alarm.

Terrific Rain Storm in Iowa.

[illegible] CITY Iowa Aug 25 —The most terrific rain [illegible] hat ever visited this region occurred last [illegible] sting from 8 P M, to near midnight. The [illegible] to crops bridges etc, is not yet ascer[illegible] but must be very great

The September Interest.

[illegible] NGTON Aug 25 —The secretary of the treas[illegible] ordered that the payment of the September [illegible] be commenced to morrow without rebate.

[illegible] YORK Aug 25 —The sub treasury begins [illegible] w the payment of the September interest [illegible] rebate.

[illegible] and Pacific Mail Compromise.

[illegible] YORK Aug 25 —Speculative shares opened [illegible] about closing prices yesterday Panama [illegible] at 186 and has since advanced to 142. The [illegible] meet this afternoon for the purpose of con[illegible] relations with the Pacific Mail. Report [illegible] if the latter company is willing to make [illegible] arrangements with the former the loan of [illegible] er to the latter for $500,000, and which is [illegible] Saturday, will be renewed

[illegible] in Panama and Pacific Mail Stocks.

[illegible] YORK, Aug 25 —On stock exchange this [illegible] the special excitement was in Panama, [illegible] at 136 to 137¼@139@142, and renewed [illegible] Pacific Mail. The two concerns are now [illegible] to be in full accord, the loan of Panama [illegible] Company due a few weeks since, has [illegible] extended on liberal terms, and threats of [illegible] for the Panama trade over the isthmus, [illegible] Panama was really not a party, are be[illegible] the present at least, to be silenced.

[illegible] York Money and Stocks Mar[illegible]

[illegible] YORK, Aug 25 —Gold closed at 13¾ money [illegible] ments steady, stocks dull; Pac. Mail [illegible] ma 140 Quicksilver 15½ W U., 84¾ [illegible] N Y Central 104 Erie, 15¾ Union Pa[illegible] U. P bonds, 102¼, Central Pacific 102¾

Disgusted San Franciscans.

[illegible] YORK Aug 25 —San Franciscans who are in [illegible] express unbounded disgust and indignation [illegible] nomination of Bryant for mayor antici[illegible] great injury to San Francisco financially and [illegible] tion if he should be elected Prominent [illegible] say the nomination is the worst ever [illegible] any party and that he was evidently [illegible] put by the water company in league with [illegible] opobes for the purpose of swindling the [illegible] mously on the water question and insuring [illegible] as it depends on the city government.

[illegible] of the N. P. R. R. Confirmed.

[illegible] YORK, Aug 25 —Judge Shipman of the U. S [illegible] urt, to day confirmed the recent sale of [illegible] rty and franchises of the Northern Pacific [illegible] Company and their purchase by the com[illegible] representing the bondholders. The com[illegible] ill now be reorganized by the issue of pre[illegible] ock to holders of bonds

The Copyright Law.

[illegible] porary injunction was granted to-day by [illegible] ior court, Judge Freedman on the appli[illegible] Sheridan Shook & A M Palmer of Union [illegible] eater, and Ernst Blum author of the play [illegible] ght, against Augustine Daley, of the Fifth [illegible] Theater to prevent the production of the [illegible] The order was returnable September 6th

Drippings of the Scandal.

[illegible] Loeder the upholsterer who libeled H W. [illegible] was to day admitted to bail in $1,000 bonds [illegible] of the trial were filed with the clerk of the [illegible] in Brooklyn in the suits of Theodore [illegible] Henry Ward Beecher, Tilton vs. Thomas [illegible] and Tilton vs. *The Brooklyn Eagle*, by at[illegible] for plaintiff

Cruelty to Lunatics.

[illegible] Commissioners of charities at Flatbush, [illegible] land, to-day rendered a decision in the [illegible] Nelson Magee, who accused the nurses of [illegible] asylum of cruelty discharging two of [illegible] adopting rules for the better government [illegible] institution

Meeting of Directors.

[illegible] YORK Aug 25 —The directors of the Panama [illegible] and met this afternoon and authorized the [illegible] to enter into the new tariff arrangement [illegible] Pacific Mail company and extend the [illegible] the latter company which was due Satur[illegible]

[illegible] Western Union directors met to day and [illegible] the routine business only The joint [illegible] ees of the Western Union and Atlantic and [illegible] will not meet for some days owing to the [illegible] of several members.

Increase in Customs.

[illegible] tly increase in customs shows the propor[illegible] imports for the fall trade which is expected [illegible] ave in September.

"Crooked" Beer.

[illegible] DELPHIA, Aug 25 —The following breweries [illegible] ents have been seized for failure to enter [illegible] et amount of material purchased on their [illegible] ent books and to make proper returns of [illegible] duced Charles Moss Frubert, Ortlieb & [illegible] ch Michael Stinel Moritz Ruoff John [illegible] ney All have been reported to the U S dis[illegible]

[illegible] ssippi Republican Convention.

[illegible] Miss Aug — —The Republican state [illegible] on met at noon Colored delegates pre[illegible] d. Considerable delay occurred in the se[illegible] a temporary chairman and A. T Morgan [illegible] lly chosen [illegible] counties have contesting [illegible] A committee was appointed on creden[illegible] owing to the difficulty of deciding the [illegible] contestants the committee have not re[illegible] at 4 P M nothing was done The dele[illegible] lacking in enthusiasm

[illegible] gh Priced Government Grass.

[illegible] Aug — —The commission for the in[illegible] of Indian frauds are still taking testi[illegible] [illegible] cases appear to have a personal [illegible] of irregularities but refer to others who [illegible] some one else for their authority Most [illegible] was spent in examining into the beef [illegible] It was conclusively shown that the con[illegible] would make large profits by strict compli[illegible] the contract owing to the fact that the [illegible] on government grass the only expense [illegible] herding The commission will probably [illegible] its labors to morrow

[illegible] ge Meeting of Mill Owners.

[illegible] Aug 25 —A largely attended meeting of [illegible] ers and [illegible] of planing and moulding [illegible] was held this afternoon A resolution was [illegible] [illegible] censuring the action of the execu[illegible] mittee of the national association and [illegible] wheel Mr [illegible] in attempting to affect [illegible] owners of the Woodbury patent a compro[illegible] [illegible] the interests of mill owners [illegible] land, representing many leading firms of [illegible] and resolved to resist the compromise.

[illegible] tate Conventions in New York

[illegible] Aug — —In Tompkins Tioga and [illegible] counties to day Democratic conventions [illegible] to select delegates to the state conven[illegible] and resolutions were passed sustaining Gov[illegible] [illegible] in a reform policy and instructing dele[illegible]